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Ex Parte Presentation

Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W., TW-A325 Washington, D.C. 20554

Re:

CC Docket No. 96-128, Illinois Public Telecommunications Association

Petition for Declaratory Ruling

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On December 7, 2010, Michael W. Ward, General Counsel for the Illinois Public Telecommunications Association, and Joseph Gillan met with Commissioner Robert M. McDowell and Angela E. Giancarlo, Chief of Staff, to discuss the Association's positions as summarized in the attached documents.

Sincerely,

/s/

Michael W. Ward

Enclosure

cc:

Commissioner Robert M. McDowell

Angela E. Giancarlo Joseph Gillan